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In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office mailed January 29, 2002, Applicants enclose herewith the following:

- Check in the amount of \$90.00 for additional claims
- Notification of Missing Requirements
- Executed Inventors' Declaration
- Sequence Listing on Diskette
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- Sequence Listing Statement
- Information Disclosure Statement
- PTO Form 1595
- 7 References
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It is believed that no additional fee is due with this submission; however, if the amount submitted is incorrect, please deduct from Deposit Account No. 07-1969 any additional fees required for this submission and any extension of time required.

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- U.S. Basic National Fees
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- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- The nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosure contained in this application does not comply with the requirements for such a disclosure as set forth in 37 CFR 1.821-1.825 for the following reason(s):
 - This application does not contain a "Sequence Listing" as a separate part of the disclosure on paper copy or compact disc, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(c).
 - A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has not been submitted as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e).
 - APPLICANT MUST PROVIDE:
 - An initial or substitute computer readable form (CRF) of the "Sequence Listing."
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The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Additionally the following defects have been observed:

- Additional claim fees of \$90 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$90 for a Large Entity:

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$90
 - \$90 for 15 total claims over 20.

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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